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### DEATH OF A DAUGHTER

#### OF JEFFERSON DAVIS.

Mrs. J. Addison Hayes, daughter of the late Jefferson Davis, and the last of the immediate family, died at her home in Colorado Springs on the 18th ult. Mrs. Hayes was the wife of J. Addison Hayes, president of the First National bank, of that city. Many messages of inquiry were received recently from friends throughout the country who had gained the impression that Mrs. Hayes was suffering from cancer. The cause of her death as announced by the attending physicians was a complication of diseases. Mrs. Hayes, the last of the family of the late president of the confederacy, after the death of her sister, Miss Winnie Davis, at Richmond, Va., made a trip south a few years ago, when she was made a daughter of the Confederacy in her sister's stead. Her mother, widow of the southern president, died in New York about two years ago. Mrs. Hayes is survived by two sons, Jefferson Hayes Davis and William Hayes, and two daughters, Lucy and Mrs. Virginia Webb, wife of Dr. Gerald B. Webb, of this city. Jefferson Hayes Davis bears the name of his grandfather through a special act of the legislature.

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### FOR SALE.

A bay Wilkes mare, 16½ hands, sired by Wilkesmont, he by Tremont, he by Belmont. Dam of my mare, Amelia S., by Young Bashaw, by Green's Bashaw. Would trade for a well broken and gentle combination horse.

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### LOOKING AHEAD.

The congressional campaign of 1910 is likely to prove one of the most important since the war period. There is every indication that it will be the commencement of party realignment.

There is a wide divergence of opinion among Republicans in regard to tariff reduction and upon other economic and administrative questions. The leaders of that party may get together for another campaign, but it is not probable that the party leaders can control their rank and file. The forces that have caused the present insurrection in Congress will act as powerfully upon the great mass of our people as they have in that body. In fact it is the sentiment prevailing among the people that has forced Senators and Representatives to challenge their own party organization.

Conditions in the Democratic party are not much better. In view of these facts we believe that it is high time for the Democrats of this congressional district to begin to look about them for a standard-bearer for the campaign of next year. Would be candidates are already beginning to snatch at the banner. We must face the fact that if the congressional nomination of next year is to be made a prize for the most earnest seeker—if it is to become the spoil of the politician who can play the smoothest game, or create the most astute combination, we will go down to almost certain defeat.

People are tired of the smooth citizen, the slick duck—who plays upon the interests and prejudices of the masses for his own thrift and who when he deems it to his interests to do so, quietly sells out to the corporation that is willing to pay the price. They are tired of the congressman learned in the law for the reason that he is not learned enough to keep fatal defects out of laws that are beneficial to the people. When legislation of this character reaches our highest courts it is usually found that our congressman learned in the law have so framed it that it will not hold water for a minute. Whether the interests affected have had a hand in creating open work statutes designed for their control cannot be certainly known, but we suspect any farmer or miner of average intelligence and integrity could do as well.

What the people demand is not excuses but accomplished facts. They want a man of clean hands and pure life and are disposed, where they find one that has stood by them, to hold fast to him.

A good many men are being mentioned by Senator John L. Bradley of St. Francois county is now being considered more carefully than any other man who has received attention up to this time. In the last twelve years Mr. Bradley has made good in the state senate. He has been with the people on every line up. Much of the labor legislation that has been placed upon our statute books in that time has been due to his zeal and persistency. He has made in many cases the right kind of enemies. He is not liked by corporations and so far as the record shows they have not been able to control him. On the other hand, Mr. Bradley was in the state senate during the celebrated thousand-dollar-bill legislature and it is whispered that he was connected in a manner not wholly to his credit with some of the subterranean transactions that made that session of the General Assembly a disgrace to Missouri. It is also stated that he has no business but lives upon the pay he receives from his services as Senator.

We do not say these things are true. If they have any foundation in fact he will certainly have to face them at the primary and in the general election. If they have no foundation in fact they should be stamped out at once.

We are neither for nor against Mr. Bradley. We do not know whether he cares to be a candidate or not. This article was written without his privacy. Our only anxiety is to secure a man who can be depended upon to do the bidding of his constituents. There is a strong disposition to see whether Mr. Bradley can do as well in Congress as he has in the senate. One thing we do know about Mr. Bradley and that is, he has been ridiculed and sneered at more than any other member of the state senate. Notwithstanding this he has kept steadily at it until he has placed the measures he has advocated upon our statute books. A good thick hide is a valuable asset to a public man when he serves the people.

Next year the nomination will not go to the man who goes after it, but it will go to the man whom the people go after.—Potosi Independent.

### A POINTER ON MOSQUITOES.

A few drops of oil of eucalyptus poured on the pillow will keep away flies and mosquitoes, and mosquito bites rubbed with peroxide will soon cease to sting.

### COUNTY COURT.

Court met in regular session last Monday, all the officers present.

Relatives of Delila Whaley, a county patient at State Hospital No. 4, having satisfied the court that they are willing and able to support and take care of her, it was ordered that she be released from said institution and delivered to her relatives, Mrs. Griffith and Mrs. Dosing, and the clerk was instructed to certify a copy of the order to Superintendent Kenny of said institution.

B. C. Wilkinson was granted exemption from road work on account of physical disability.

Susie Herbst was sent to the State Tuberculosis Sanitarium at Mount Vernon as a county patient.

The Court made an order purchasing a combination ten-ton road roller, crusher and 12-barrel sprinkler, with engine for operating same, of the J. I. Case Threshing Machine Company, for \$2,193.50 cash.

In the matter of bids for coal, the Watson Coal Company's bid was \$2.50 per ton for Cartersville district and \$2.60 for Williamson County Big Muddy; Mayberry, Byington & Tullock, \$2.75 for Cartersville district and \$3.75 for Murphysboro Big Muddy; Schramm Bottling Company, \$2.85 for Cartersville district lump coal. The contract was awarded to the Watson Coal Company.

W. G. Gillespie, constable of Perry township, and W. E. Justice, constable of Randolph township, made quarterly settlements, which were approved.

New road petitioned for by W. A. Mitchell and others was ordered opened, and change of road petitioned for by R. R. Watson and others was made, and change of road petitioned for by F. J. Antoine was ordered made at expense of petitioner.

Order was made authorizing the State Auditor to draw his warrant in favor of W. C. Fischer, County Treasurer, for amount of moneys apportioned to this county for the year 1909 by the State Superintendent of Public Schools, and by him certified to the Clerk of the County Court, amounting to \$15,169.19.

Louis Marchand of Bonne Terre was granted dramsop license.

### Warrants Issued.

J. W. Jones, supplies furnished family of Andy Dix	\$21.00
L. H. Hignley, support of John Butler	10.00
G. H. Smith, support Rhoda Burham and Fannie Simmons	13.50
J. P. Cayce, support of Sarah Annette	15.00
C. D. Rogers, support of W. N. Rogers	15.00
Thos. Higginbotham, support of Mary E. Polite	30.00
Mrs. A. J. Swart, support of Belle Matkin	5.00
O. M. Ramsey, support James LePlant	5.00
J. C. Alexander, relief James King and wife	5.00
Wm. London, attendance on Probate Court	20.00
Mrs. L. Sebaugh, board and attention to Mrs. Mayo	1.00
Farmington News, printing and stationery	12.90
Paully Bldg. Co., supplies Gibson & McGuire, supplies for dependent family	4.15
C. P. Wilson, mandamus fees	17.85
Wm. London, board prisoners	201.00
Thos. Higginbotham, labor for bridge repairs	20.60
Wm. London, sundry expenses	29.45
Wm. London, guarding work of prisoners and other ex.	99.25
C. C. Weimer, meat for Inf.	8.20
M. J. Fleming, supplies for Ed Wilson	6.00
Cole & Nixon, supplies for Infirmary	46.18
T. H. Holman, freight on car of cement	48.45
Geo. Schlusser, janitor	26.75
J. A. Lawrence, fees	107.55
O'Dell Bros., supplies for family of A. J. Dix	20.00
Tetley-Klein Co., car cement	29.00
Asbury Press, dockbt	35.00
G. W. Covington, sup. for Inf.	5.45
Reuter Ptg. Co., stationery	17.75
Barnard & Co., stationery	87.65
Skinner & Kennedy, stationery	29.25
Standard, Ptg. Co., stationery	19.50
East Blank Note Co., same	6.95
G. A. Wood, supplies for Inf.	2.85
Dr. J. H. Yount, quarantine	20.00
J. J. Short, harvest hands Inf.	5.50
Dr. G. A. McEwen, wood Inf.	5.00
Case Threshing Machine Co., road roller, etc.	2,193.50
J. H. Mason, bread for Inf.	6.20
Times Printing Co., printing	3.00
Mayberry, Byington & Tullock, livery	1.25
Farmington Milling Co., supplies for Infirmary	6.40
Klein Gro. Co., supplies for court house and jail	2.45
J. W. Boswell, livery	3.50
Asbury Press, stationery	6.50
A. H. Akers, salary and postage as school commissioner	36.12
M. E. Schmidt, support pupil at Training School	27.95
Jet White Laundry, laundering for Infirmary	10.00
H. M. Murphy, labor at Inf.	6.00
Cole & Nixon Mer. Co., supplies for court house and jail	5.17
City Drug Store, drugs for Inf.	6.35
City Drug Store, supplies for court house and jail	3.15
City Meat Market, meat Inf.	6.70
A. J. Kennon, support of F. C. Duncan and wife	15.00
Thos. F. Benton, support of Tilman Rock and wife	25.00

Salina, Kas., July 24.—One hundred and seventy-five pounds of honey was taken from the attic of the Episcopal parsonage here this afternoon, and 40,000 bees which have lived in the roof of the building for years were hived. The honey was in three slabs, each eleven feet long.

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